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Re: DEQ oversight of Port of Portland Preliminary Assessments for Portland Harbor Marine Terminal Sites

Eric,

The DEQ requested that the Port of Portland conduct Preliminary Assessments at selected Marine facilities in conjunction with DEQ's continued work addressing Portland Harbor and the identification of contaminated sites and control of sources from those sites. DEQ has also requested the Port to provide DEQ with a mechanism that allows DEQ to charge the Port for oversight costs of the Preliminary Assessments. Based on your letter dated December 16, 1999 the Port was required to perform Preliminary Assessments at T1, T2, T4 (Auto Storage Area and Slip 1), and T5.

Currently DEQ has not determined which sites will require further investigation by the Port beyond the initial PA's.

This letter, in conjunction, with the IGA between the Port and DEQ (October 27, 1998), will serve as the mechanism DEQ requested to bill the Port for översight costs at the sites mentioned above. This assumes that the Port will reimburse the DEQ, based on the provisions in the IGA, for that work until a determination can be made whether additional work will be required at those sites, or separate agreements are written for each site. As is standard with the start of DEQ oversight on Port projects, please provide me with an estimate of costs for each site that also includes the staff that will work on the project and the corresponding rates.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to call me at (503) 240-2014.

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Incerely.

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